Mountain Weather Forecast

North Grampian

Including North and West Cairngorms National Park, Monadhliath, Ben Alder, Creag Meagaidh, Loch Ericht and Loch Rannoch
Forecast valid from 06:00 on Friday 06 May 2022 until 23:59 on Saturday 07 May 2022

Forecast Issued on Friday 06 May 2022 at 03:11 by Met Office Aberdeen

Confidence: High until Saturday, then lower.

Headline for Friday 06 May 2022: Cloudy with occasional rain at first with strong southwesterly winds and hill fog, then much brighter by mid morning, winds easing, the odd shower later.

Mountain weather hazards on Friday 06 May 2022

Blizzards
No Likelihood

Heavy persistent snow
No Likelihood

Storm force winds
No Likelihood

Gales
Medium Likelihood

Severe chill effect
Low Likelihood

Poor visibility
Medium Likelihood

Thunderstorms
No Likelihood

Heavy persistent rain
No Likelihood

Strong sunlight
Medium Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 800m					
Time					
06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Heavy Rain	Light rain	Light rain showers	Light rain showers	Mist	Fog
Precipitation probability					
90%	30%	30%	30%	40%	10%

Forecast for Friday 06 May 2022

Weather: Cloudy with rain at first, clearing south across most areas by mid morning. Then mainly dry with sunny intervals, though thicker cloud may bring a few showers for a time in the late afternoon and evening.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 800m: Only 10% at first rising to 80% by afternoon. Falling 60% in north in evening.

Low cloud and visibility: At first, extensive cloud at 600-900m the lower bases in the west, with moderate occasionally poor visibility in rain, then cloud breaking up towards late morning with good visibility, away from any remaining patchy summit cloud. Some increase in cloud and poor visibility towards evening.

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Forecast for Friday 06 May 2022

Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph) Wind Direction (blowing from)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
1300	32/42 SW	24/33 W	23/31 W	23/30 W	18/24 NW	12/16 N	11/15 N
900	31/38 SW	24/30 W	20/27 W	19/25 W	14/18 W	9/12 N	7/10 N
600	22/28 SW	17/23 SW	16/23 W	15/21 W	10/14 W	7/10 N	4/7 NE
300	9/24 SW	10/21 SW	11/22 W	11/22 W	6/13 NW	5/11 N	4/8 N
Glen	4/21 SW	6/21 W	7/22 W	7/20 W	6/17 NW	3/10 N	2/8 N

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
1300	3/-4	2/-4	3/-3	4/-2	3/-3	2/-3	-0/-5
900	7/1	5/0	7/2	8/3	6/3	5/2	2/-1
600	9/5	8/4	10/6	10/7	9/7	6/4	5/3
300	10/8	10/8	13/11	14/11	11/10	8/6	7/6
Glen	9/8	11/10	14/12	15/12	12/11	9/8	6/6
Freezing Level*	2000m	1700m	1600m	1700m	1700m	1600m	1400m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Met Office Aberdeen Meteorologist's View
Some slight uncertainty in showers later.

Forecast for Saturday 07 May 2022
Weather: Mainly dry with variable cloud and some sunny intervals. Perhaps one or two showers.

Maximum wind: Variable 5-10mph.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 800m: More than 80%.

Low cloud and visibility: Good visibility with cloud remaining above the tops.

Temperature: **Glens:** Plus 4 Celsius at dawn rising to Plus 16 in the afternoon.
At 800m: Plus 4 rising to Plus 7 Celsius.
Freezing level: Above the summits.

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